REMARKS

Claims 1, 4-10, 12-17, 21, 23-38, and 41-49 were pending in this application. Claims 5, 41, 43, and 47 have been amended to include SEQ ID Nos. Therefore, claims 1, 4-10, 12-17, 21, 23-28, and 41-49 will be pending upon entry of the instant amendment.

The specification has been amended to include appropriate sequence identifiers. The originally filed Sequence Listing has also been replaced with a Substitute Sequence Listing in response to the Notice to Comply. A copy of the substitute Sequence Listing in computer readable form, along with the required Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.821, are filed simultaneously herewith.

No new matter has been added. Amendments to the claims should in no way be construed as an acquiescence to any of the Examiner's objections and/or rejections. The amendments to the claims are being made solely to expedite prosecution of the above-identified application. Applicants reserve the option to further prosecute the same or similar claims in the present or another patent application. The amendments made to the claims are not related to any issues of patentability.
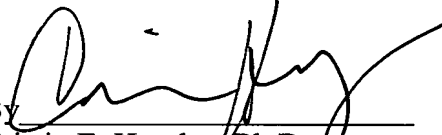
SUMMARY

It is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. If there are any remaining issues, or if the Examiner believes that a telephone conversation with Applicants' attorney would be helpful in expediting prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (617) 227-7400. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080, under Order No. KZI-002US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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